



# St. Joseph's Home-School-Parish

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## Newsletter

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Autumn Term  
Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> December 2019

Thank you for all your kind gifts and cards to the staff at the school. We wish you a peaceful and happy time with your families.

**We return back to school on 6<sup>th</sup> January 2020**



### Gospel

#### 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Advent Time C

At that time Mary got ready and hurried to a town in the hill country of Judea, where she entered Zechariah's home and greeted Elizabeth. When Elizabeth heard Mary's greeting, the baby leapt in her womb, and Elizabeth was filled with the Holy Spirit. In a loud voice she exclaimed: "Blessed are you among women, and blessed is the child you will bear! But why am I so favoured, that the mother of my Lord should come to me? As soon as the sound of your greeting reached my ears, the baby in my womb leapt for joy.



### Christmas Parties

Everyone enjoyed their Christmas parties and all had a great time with games, quizzes and lots of dancing.



Sadly, we are losing Mrs Barnes and Mr Sims. We would like to wish them all the best in the future. You will be missed!

*Good  
bye  
&  
Good  
Luck!*





### Xmas Factor

On Monday 16<sup>th</sup> December 2019 we held the Christmas Factor!

Every class entered an act to perform on stage. We enjoyed every moment and can't wait to see who performs next year!

Well done to everyone who took part!

Congratulations to our many 100% attendance certificate winners.

### Rec

Tomi, Lia, Harper-Re, Adedamola

### Year 1

Isabella, Emily, Melvin, Naeto, Freda

### Year 2

Nuriyah, Fatima, Eva, Freya, Nishanya, Teric, Chizi, Kasmi, Adetola, Yasin

### Year 3

Precious, Gbemi, Piero, Tyler, Mirabel, Ethan, Chloe, Jamil, Munachimso, Munachi, Daniele, Frankie-Jay, Harrison, Tiffany

### Year 4

Mya, Bobby-Ryan, Erisa, Shanaiah, Joseph, Shajeevan, Eliana

### Year 5

Abbie-Kya, Julia, Tiana, Jayden, Blessing, Demi-Rose, Michelle, Alicia, Grace, Talia

### Year 6

Rossy, Lily-May, Kaka, David, Junior, Morayo, Louie, Raymond, Jaiden, Ayomide, Nikita, Amanda



We are coming to the end of an extremely busy term for St Joseph's and governors have been privileged to attend lots of these events. We are very appreciative of all the work that the staff and pupils do.

We recognise that it had been a difficult year for St Joseph's and we are certainly not where we want to be in the primary school league tables, however we are confident that success can be achieved and we welcome the support of all parents/carers, staff members, the local authority and the Diocese to achieve that goal.

It has been a pleasure to welcome Mrs Lazell to the school as Executive Headteacher and we have been delighted with the rapid changes that have been taken place to ensure that we achieve and maintain those high standards of attainment across all key stages.

Governors are focussed on strengthening the leadership team to ensure that the improvements are sustainable and to that end we welcome Ms Keogh in January as our Head of School.

It is a pleasure for me to lead the governing body and I welcome correspondence from parents/carers - the easiest way being to drop me an email at the address shown.

Finally on behalf of the governing body I would like to extend all staff, pupils and parents/carers our very warmest wishes for Christmas and the year ahead.

Paul Drake

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### Donations

If you are sorting out over the Christmas, we are in need of any spare knickers, pants, socks or tights.

